

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 321  
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A RESOLUTION to honor and commend David Staggs on  
becoming an Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, at a time when the youth of our country face tremendous challenges, the Boy Scouts of America is one of this nation's greatest assets, providing young people ages six to twenty with an educational program geared toward character development, citizenship training and improved mental and physical fitness; and

WHEREAS, the highest achievement a Boy Scout can attain is the rank of Eagle Scout, and David Staggs, after considerable hard work and preparation, has joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor; and

WHEREAS, David Staggs, a member of the Order of the Arrow, has excelled both academically and in extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, his exemplary record of accomplishment as a member of Boy Scout Troop 310 includes earning 21 Merit Badges; and

WHEREAS, David demonstrated excellent leadership abilities as a former Wolf Cub Scout, a Bear Cub Scout and a Webelos Scout; he also served as Den Chief for Cub Pack 411 in Ethridge; and

WHEREAS, his Eagle project benefited his community and Tennessee and reflected the fine traditions of the Volunteer State, as he cleared the Ethridge City Park of debris and undergrowth from the hillside and picnic areas; and

WHEREAS, David also constructed a sign stating the times the park was open and posted it at the park, which is on Highway 43N; the sign is seen by a large number of travelers; and

WHEREAS, David's talents go far beyond just Scouting, he also rides horses and helps work on his father's truck after school; and

WHEREAS, David is a responsible young man who serves as a good role model for the younger Scouts in the troop; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we pause to specially recognize David Staggs as one of the most outstanding young people in our state; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby congratulate and honor David Staggs on becoming an Eagle Scout, and wish him much continued success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final resolving clause omitted from such copy.